

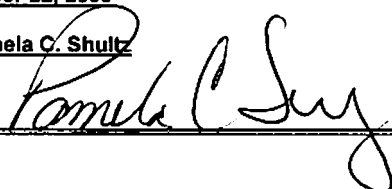
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Response under 37 C.F.R. §1.111

In response to the Non-Final Office action dated June 22, 2009, the Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS

Claims 1, 8, 10, 13 and 14 have been amended and claim 12 has been cancelled. A listing of claims begins on page 2.